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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition filed June 2, 2005 and resubmitted April 7, 2006, under 37 CFR 1.183, requesting a certificate of correction to correct the name of the inventor on the face of the patent. The petition is being treated under 37 CFR 1.182.

A review of Office PALM records indicates that the correction has been made and that the inventor's name has been corrected as follows:

Steven P. Sidwell

In view thereof, since the error in the printing of the first named inventor was caused by the USPTO, no fees are due and none have been charged.

This matter is being referred to the Certificate of Corrections Branch for issuance of a certificate of correction. Questions regarding the certificate of correction should be directed to that branch at 703-305-8309, inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned Petitions Attorney at (571) 272-3212.

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